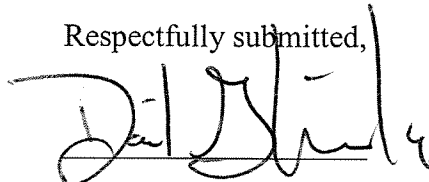


CONCLUSION

In the May 15, 2006 Office action Response, claims 1 – 20 were pending. In that Response, claims 1, 2, 5, 9, 12-15, 18, and 20 were amended and new claims 21 – 27 were added. In this Supplemental Amendment, claims 28 -33 have been added for consideration. The May 15, 2006 Office action Response was responsive and complete. No additional arguments are made herein for the allowability of any claims. Applicants respectfully request that this Supplemental Amendment be entered and considered before the Examiner issues a Second Office action.

Respectfully submitted,

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